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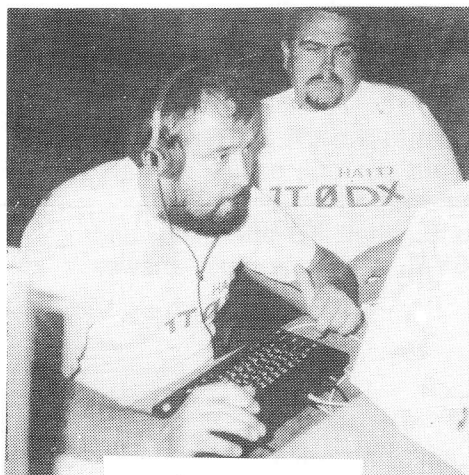
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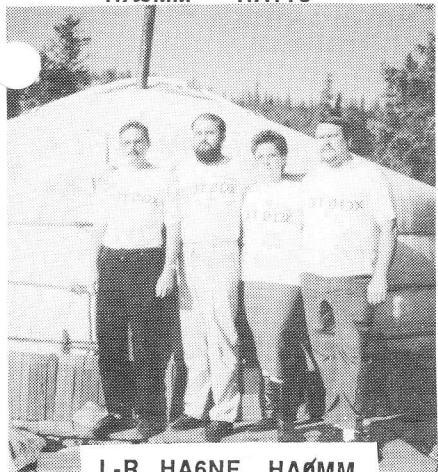
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HA6MM - HA1TJ



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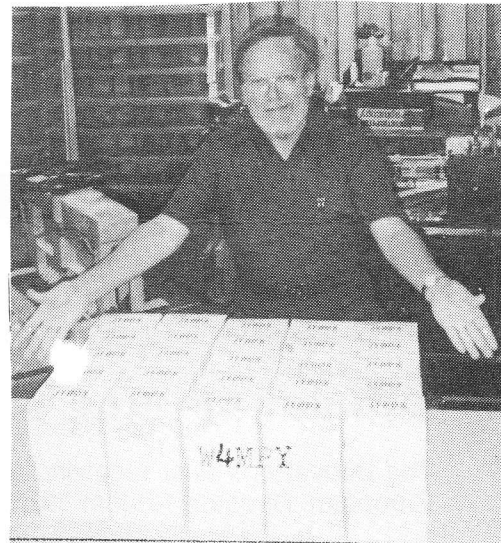
### JTØDX

Gyozo, **HA6MM**, along with **HA6NF**, **HG1DAI** and **HA1TJ** staged a great DXpedition from 22 September to 19 October 89. Keyboard ops were particularly happy since RTTY was included in the JT mix for the first time.

These first class contest operators have now organized the **Hungarian DX CW Contest** slated for the third full weekend each January from 2200 UTC Saturday until 2200 UTC Sunday. Awards go to single op/single band, single op/multi band and multi op/multi band. If you like good CW contest, catch one of the members on the bands for full details.

**Indexa** supported the JTØ effort and with the help of Wayne, **W4MPY**, printed and shipped 25,000 QSLs. If you've ever wondered what 25,000 QSLs look like in one pile, check the photo. That's Wayne among the cards complaining about the amount of paper and ink used to run this batch!

Gyozo says they plan other ventures, including operating **YM5KB** from Turkey during May and October Contest.



### JTØDX QSO SUMMARY

	80M	40M	20M
CW	683	2147	4739
SSB	67	400	4838
RTTY	0	16	344
	15M	10M	TOTAL
CW	2665	2006	12240
SSB	7972	6430	19707
RTTY	327	125	812
			32759

### ISØXV SPRATLEY ISLAND

Check our next issue for photos and all the news about the Spratley Island DXpedition. Hopefully, we'll have an answer to the gaps in the operating time. This operation hasn't been easy, and has probably raised the blood pressure of several hams. Ed Kritsky, **NT2X**, has been snatched around, dealt with changes in plans, explained the same topic numerous times until an understanding was reached, and has been a darn good referee when disagreements occurred. He has lost time at work, a lot of sleep and a few green stamps for the cause. Larry, **UA6HZ**, jumped in on the Moscow end and settled some important points for us. **WB2WOW** came to the rescue with a spare rig when Ed's blew while he was acting as referee. Of course we wonder if the loan was purely in the amateur spirit or if WOW enjoyed listening to Ed sweat out more terms during the negotiations! Anyhow, thanks to all.

### LANE 4 AWARDS

Those lucky enough to have an **INDEXA** pin know the fine detail and true colors achieved at a reasonable cost. **Lane 4** has supplied our pins from the start, and panic set in when we waited until we were almost out to reorder. We found that the telephone was no longer in service. A call for help to Southern Bell didn't help. What happened was they were moving to Florida and hadn't gotten out the notifications.

If you or you group need fine pins or patches, Lane can make one from your drawing. Their new address: Box 693944, Miami, FL. 33269. Telephone: 305-653-9434 (this is the fax number as well).



L-R LA1EE, LA6VM, LA2GV

The Bouvet ops after receiving their Certificates of Appreciation and INDEXA "T" shirts from INDEXAs European Director Arnfinn (Arnie), LA8CJ, during their banquet.

## BOUVET ISLAND

One thing's for sure - a Bouvet Island DXpedition isn't your Virgin Island patio/pink gin special. It took the support of many amateur and DX groups to pull off the **LA DX Group** recent effort. But the real credit goes to the operators who kept the contacts coming. Compared by many to the Peter 1st DXpedition, the ops fought off ice, rain and wind from inside a tent.

Our thanks again to the **LA DX Group** for making a hard job look easy! Einar, **LA1EE** and Kaare, **LA2GV** deserve special thanks for their FB operating, and to Erling, **LA6VM**, who now must answer our QSLs.

## D2/LU6ELF

The People's Republic of Angola was put on the air by Jorge Lopez giving many happy amateurs a new one. **INDEXA** provided QSLs and a full station after learning that Jorge used only a military rig for his ham contacts. This limited his activity because of the limited time the rig could be tuned to the amateur bands.

The donated station improved his signal and gave Jorge's more air time, but his military obligations still limited his activity. Thanks to Jorge and Carlos, **N4THW**, for his good job as QSL manager.

## NEW INDEXA ADDRESS:

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**ROCK HILL, S.C. 29731**  
**USA**

## P.R. of ANGOLA D2/LU6ELF



Jorge A. Lopez  
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Luanda, Angola, Africa

**N4THW**  
**QSL Manager**  
**Carlos Vega**  
P.O. Box 22541  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33335  
U.S.A.

The old PO box in Charlotte will remain open for one year to make certain we receive all mail to that address. We have many applications in circulation with the old address, and we don't want to miss new members.

Robert, **KF4NO**, has served **INDEXA** in FB fashion for years. Now he has the nerve to ask for time to attend to other business! We finally agreed to "let him out" of his position as Secretary. Robert, thanks for all the fine work!

TELL A FRIEND ABOUT INDEXA

## INDEXA NEWSLETTER

Bill, **W4UNP**, has agreed to add the Secretary job to that of Treasurer. This means more work for Bill, but we've agreed to share some of the load. These moves mean fewer delays since we'll move information by computer instead of the mail. Please make note of the new address and spread the word.

### MEMBER SUPPORT

Every contribution is important because it means someone did something extra to make things work. Two of our net controllers have arranged some fine support. Carl, **WA4BCQ**, continues to make multiple donations from excess funds from his duties as QSL manager for HSØB. Carl thinks more managers could do the same where INDEXA provides the cards. Tex, **N6AHV**, is also the outgoing president of the Southern California DX Club, and at the last meeting worked out a generous donation from the members of that club. Tnx fellows.

**EXTRA ASSISTANCE** provided by: KB5IB, NU50, W1WRN, YU3XJ, W8WEJ, WB2JZK, W6QIM, W4THQ, WA4BCQ, KØCVD, K1BLT, W9TKV, KB1ER, N3CBH, N1EBO, NS6K, KE5PO, KG5IT, N7KPX, KE8MK, YCØMCA, N7DG, WB1Z, K4KNO, W6CNA, W8BKP, VP2MO, YC7UNZ, YB6LD, WB8UZZ, KA3HXO, HB9DKQ, YC6KHZ, NS6B, NJ1T, AA5FE, N6AHV, OE7XMH, KK4LM, KV5E, NY5L, K2QAR, W5VJW, WB2WOW, N1EDN, WB2BKO, N3CWP, W1KDD, VE3NN, K7JXR, YJ3XJ, K4HCA, YBØFS, W6SPQ, K8SL, W2SEN, VE3OJ, NØRM, JA4RED, W5XQ, WD4FZO, UA6HZ.

### NEW LIFE MEMBERS:

WA2VKS, JM2VYA, KB1ER, KI1TZ, N4NGR, AA5ME, KØCVD, KF4NI, JE1CTA, OE7XMH, K1RQ, K8UE, CX9ABE, HB9DKX, HB9DKQ, HB9DKM, KK4LM, AA6JZ, WA8LLY, YC6KHZ, N1EDN, KX6L, WE5I, WØCM, KØEPE, VE7ELC, KE8MK, HL1AEK.

**SPONSORED MEMBERSHIP:** W6CNA for VK2FIX; K1BAZ for UY5XE; W5EU for UV9FM; UA9FFM and KDØJL for UW9LA. WA6HIB has contributed sponsorship for the next deserving DXer. If you know a DXer who may need assistance with membership, why not sponsor them? Many still have problems with IRCs and US dollars.

### QSLs PRINTED

3W1A	500 Additional
JTØDX	25,000
WZ6C/ST4	2500

### EQUIPMENT SUPPORT

WZ6C/ST4	Beam/amp
D2/LU6ELF	Xcvr/beam/amp
ISØXV	2 xcvs/2 amps/2 Mosley TA33 beams
ZD8HH	Xcvr/Beam/Amp

Note: The operators of ZD8HH Gough Island change each year or so. Mr. Reppeto of the PTT is in charge of the station to assure proper and continued use for all amateurs.

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Special thanks to **Doc's Communication** for continued rig repair and to **Mosley** for antenna needs.

.. The **ISØXV** DXpedition took the effort of many amateurs and groups. We want to thank the NCDXF for their support in this Spratly Island Joint Venture along with the many Soviet amateurs who did a lot of foot work for us.

We are willing to do it again as long as it will benefit ALL amateurs. We do need your support in the form of equipment and green stamps.

.. WE NEED AMPS and a few good xcvs. We have request for stations in a few vy FB locations and would like to locate a few amps that are semi light weight and will cover 160.

SUPPORT DX - SUPPORT WORLDWIDE FRIENDSHIP - SUPPORT INDEXA

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### INTERNATIONAL DX ASSOCIATION, INC

#### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

I agree with the Amateur Code of Ethics and I am willing to help others as I help myself.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Call \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Membership 1 year (\$12 US or 35 IRCs) \_\_\_\_\_

LIFE membership (\$100 US or 290 IRCs) \_\_\_\_\_

OM/XYL (both licensed) (\$125 US/363 URCs) \_\_\_\_\_

LIFE payments (4 X 25 US in one year) \_\_\_\_\_

'T' shirt with LOGO S - M - L - EL (\$10 US, \$12 DX) \_\_\_\_\_

Lapel pin with LOGO (\$5 US) \_\_\_\_\_

Rubber stamp with LOGO (\$5 US) \_\_\_\_\_

DONATION \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL TO:

INDEXA, PO BOX 607, ROCK HILL, SC 29731 USA

#### MURPHY'S NOTES

Comments from members and DXpeditions indicate **INDEXA** has become one of the best know DX support and information groups around. This is our goal, and with the support of all members and companies who supply services to **INDEXA**, we should do great things in the future. You, the members, and the net controllers must continue the effort to bring in more members and donations. Remember, we are as good as our membership!

The applications ("stuffers") are being changed to reflect what we really do - support DX. We've dropped all reference to list operations. Rather than just working DX, get your friends to join **INDEXA** and make DX happen!

The cost of our "T" shirts has gone up like everything else. To cover our cost, the new price is \$10 for US orders and \$12 for DX. However, all old "stuffers" coming in with the old price will still be honored.

If you have comments or suggestions on how we may improve our support of DX, take a moment and express those ideas in a letter. **INDEXA** is its members.

W4WMQ

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